THIS WEEK'S CONTESTS
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Please send corrections and additions directly to me. The 13-month web calendar is updated as new contest information is received.

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This e-mail is divided into three sections:
- Details of this week's contests
- List of following week's contests
- Contest log submittal addresses and deadlines for recent contests

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THIS WEEK'S CONTESTS:

ARS Spartan Sprint: 0100Z-0300Z, Apr 4
  Mode: CW
  Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
  Classes: Skinny
           Tubby
  Max power: 5 watts
  Exchange: RST + (state/province/country) + Power
  Work stations: Once per band
  Submit logs by: April 5, 2006
  E-mail logs to: hjohnc[at]core[dot]com
  Post log summary at: http://www.arsqrp.com/ars/ss_log.html
  Mail logs to: (none)
  Find rules at: http://www.arsqrp.com/ars/pages/spartan_sprints/ss_rules_new.html

YLRL DX-YL to NA-YL Contest, CW: 1400Z, Apr 4 to 0200Z, Apr 6
  Mode: CW
  Bands: All
  Classes: (none)
  Max operating hours: 24
  Exchange: QSO No. + RST + (section/province/country)
  Work stations: Once per band
  QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
  Multipliers: Each section, province, country once
               Power factor: x1.5 for 150W or less
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults x power factor
  Submit logs by: May 5, 2006
  E-mail logs to: kc4iyd[at]yahoo[dot]com
  Mail logs to: Nancy Rabel Hall, KC4IYD
                PO Box 775

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                North Olmsted, OH 44070
                USA
  Find rules at: http://www.ylrl.org/ylcontests.html

144 MHz Spring Sprint: 1900 local - 2300 local, Apr 4
  Mode: (not specified)
  Bands: 2m Only
  Classes: Single Op Only
  Exchange: 4-character grid square
  QSO Points: 1 points per QSO
  Multipliers: Each grid square
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
  Submit logs by: May 2, 2006
  E-mail logs to: springsprints[at]etdxa[dot]org
  Mail logs to: 144 MHz Spring Sprint
                ETDXA/WU4O
                Jeff J Baker
                2012 Hinds Creek Road
                Heiskell, Tennessee  37754
                USA
  Find rules at: http://www.etdxa.org/2006_spring_sprint%20rules.htm

SARL 80m QSO Party: 1700Z-2000Z, Apr 6
  Mode: SSB
  Bands: 80m Only
  Classes: Single Op
  Exchange: RS + Serial No. + Grid Locator or QTH
  QSO Points: 10 points per QSO with South African station
              15 points per QSO with non-South African station
  Multipliers: (none)
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points
  Submit logs by: April 20, 2006
  E-mail logs to: zs5lp[at]sharksden[dot]co[dot]za
  Mail logs to: Durban Amateur Radio Club
                17 Brownlee Place
                Bluff, Durban, 4052
                South Africa
  Find rules at: http://www.sarl.org.za/public/contests/SARL_Contest_Manual.pdf

JIDX CW Contest: 0700Z, Apr 8 to 1300Z, Apr 9
  Mode: CW
  Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
  Classes: Single Op All Band (Low/High)
           Single Op Single Band (Low/High)
           Multi-Single
           Maritime Mobile
  Max power: HP: >100W
             LP: 100W
  Exchange: JA: RST + Prefecture No.
            non-JA: RST + CQ Zone No.
  Work stations: Once per band
  QSO Points: 2 points per JA-DX QSO on 80m
              1 points per JA-DX QSO on 40, 20, 15m
              2 points per JA-DX QSO on 10m
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Multipliers: JA Stations: DXCC countries and CQ zones once per band
non-JA Stations: JA prefectures plus JD1/O, JD1/MT, JD1/OT once per band
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
Submit logs by: May 31, 2006
E-mail logs to: cw[at]jidx[dot]org
Mail logs to: JIDX CW Contest
c/o Five-Nine Magazine
P.O. Box 59, Kamata
Tokyo 144-8691
Japan
Find rules at: http://www.jidx.org/jidxrule-e.html

ARCI Spring QSO Party: 1200Z, Apr 8 to 2400Z, Apr 9
Mode: CW
Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
Classes: All Band
Single Band
High Bands
Low Bands
Max operating hours: 24
Exchange: RS + (state/province/country) + (ARCI number/power)
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: 5 points per QSO with ARCI member
4 points per non-member QSO with different continent
2 points per non-member QSO with same continent
Multipliers: States, once per band
VE Provinces, once per band
Countries, once per band
Power Mult: >5W=x1, 1-5W=x7, 250mW-1W=x10, 55-250mW=15x, <55mW=20x
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x (state mults + province mults + country mults) x power mult
Submit logs by: May 9, 2006
E-mail logs to: va3jff[at]yahoo[dot]ca
Mail logs to: ARCI Spring QSO Party
c/o Jeff Hetherington, VA3JFF
139 Elizabeth St. W.
Welland, Ontario L3C 4M3
Canada
Find rules at: http://www.qrparci.org/component/option,com_extcalendar/Itemid,/extmode,view/extid,35/

EU Spring Sprint, CW: 1600Z-1959Z, Apr 8
Mode: CW
Bands: 80, 40, 20m
Classes: Single Op (Low/High)
Max power: HP: >100W
LP: 100W
Exchange: [your call sign] + [other station's call sign] + Serial No. + Name
Work stations: Once per band
QSO Points: 1 point per QSO
Multipliers: (none)
Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points
Submit logs by: April 23, 2006

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  E-mail logs to: eusprint[at]kkn[dot]net
  Mail logs to: Dave Lawley, G4BUO
                Carramore, Coldharbour Road
                Penshurst, Kent TN11 8EX
                England
  Find rules at: http://www.eusprint.com/index.php?pageid=rules

Georgia QSO Party: 1800Z, Apr 8 to 0359Z, Apr 9 and 1400Z-2359Z, Apr 9
  Mode: CW, Phone
  Bands: 80, 40, 20, 15, 10m
  Classes: Single Op (CW/Phone/Mixed)(QRP/Low/High)
           Multi-Single (CW/Phone/Mixed)(QRP/Low/High)
           Multi-Multi (CW/Phone/Mixed)(QRP/Low/High)
           Rover (CW/Phone/Mixed)(QRP/Low/High)
  Max power: HP: >150W
             LP: 150W
             QRP: 5W
  Exchange: GA: RST + county
            non-GA: RST + (state/province/country)
  Work stations: Once per mode per band
  QSO Points: 1 point per phone QSO
              2 points per CW QSO
  Multipliers: GA Stations: Each state and VE region once per mode
               non-GA Stations: each GA county once per mode
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
  Submit logs by: May 12, 2006
  E-mail logs to: gqp[at]iham[dot]us
  Mail logs to: John Laney, K4BAI
                PO Box 421
                Columbus, GA 31902-0421
                USA
  Find rules at: http://gqp.contesting.com/Rules.htm

Yuri Gagarin International DX Contest: 2100Z, Apr 8 to 2100Z, Apr 9
  Mode: CW
  Bands: 160, 80, 40, 20, 15, 10, Satellites
  Classes: Single Op Multi-Band
           Single Op Single Band
           Multi-Single
           SWL
  Exchange: RST + ITU Zone No.
  Work stations: Once per band
  QSO Points: 1 point per QSO with same country
              2 points per QSO with different country on same continent
              3 points per QSO with different continent
  Multipliers: ITU zones once per band
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
  Submit logs by: May 9, 2006
  E-mail logs to: gc[at]qst[dot]ru
  Mail logs to: GC Contest Committee
                P.O.Box 2020
                Moscow, 101000
                Russia
  Find rules at: http://www.srr.su/contest/GC/gc2005re.htm
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Montana QSO Party: 2300Z, Apr 8 to 2300Z, Apr 9
  Mode: CW, Digital, Phone
  Bands: 160 to 70cm
  Classes: (none)
  Exchange: MT: RST + county
            non-MT: RST + (state/province/country)
  Work stations: Once per MT county
  QSO Points: 1 points per QSO
  Multipliers: MT: Each (state/province/country/MT county) once
               Non-MT: Each MT county once
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
  Submit logs by: May 31, 2006
  E-mail logs to: normsclassicradio[at]yahoo[dot]com
  Mail logs to: Norm Palin K7NCR
                68 Silver Leaf Drive
                Kalispell, MT 59901
                USA
  Find rules at: http://www.fvarc.org/Events/events.htm

UBA Spring Contest, SSB: 0600Z-1000Z, Apr 9
  Mode: SSB
  Bands: 80m Only
  Classes: Single
           SWL
  Max power: non-QRP: >5 watts
             QRP: 5 watts
  Exchange: ON: RS + Serial No. + UBA Section
            non-ON: RS + Serial No.
  QSO Points: 3 points per QSO with Belgian station
  Multipliers: Each UBA Section
  Score Calculation: Total score = total QSO points x total mults
  Submit logs by: April 30, 2006
  E-mail logs to: ubaspring[at]uba[dot]be
  Mail logs to: Lode Kenens ON6KL
                Oudestraat 8
                B-3560 Lummen
                Belgium
  Find rules at: http://www.uba.be/hf_contests/rules/uba_spring_en_2006.rtf

SARL Hamnet 40m Simulated Emerg Contest: 1200Z-1400Z, Apr 9
  Mode: SSB
  Bands: 40m Only
  Classes: A: Single Op Stationary Mobile
           B: Single Op Portable
           C: Multi-Op Portable
           D: Single Op Base Station
  Exchange: Class A: RS + Serial No. (starting with 201)
            Class B: RS + Serial No. (starting with 401)
            Class C: RS + Serial No. (starting with 601)
            Class D: RS + Serial No. (starting with 801)
            Non-participants: RS + Serial No. (starting with 001)
  Score Calculation: (see rules)
  Submit logs by: April 24, 2006
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E-mail logs to: zs2ez[at]webmail[dot]co[dot]za
Mail logs to: Hamnet Eastern Cape
Al Akers, ZS2U
53 Clarence Street
Westering, Port Elizabeth 6025
South Africa
Find rules at: http://www.sarl.org.za/public/contests/SARL_Contest_Manual.pdf

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NEXT WEEK'S CONTESTS:

YLRL DX-YL to NA-YL Contest, SSB	1400Z, Apr 11 to 0200Z, Apr 13
NAQCC 80m Straight Key/Bug Sprint	0030Z-0230Z, Apr 12
	0330Z-0530Z, Apr 12
222 MHz Spring Sprint	1900 local - 2300 local, Apr 12
RSGB 80m Club Championship, SSB	1900Z-2030Z, Apr 12
TARA Skirmish Digital Prefix Contest	0000Z-2400Z, Apr 15
Holyland DX Contest	0000Z-2359Z, Apr 15
ARLHS Annual Spring Lites QSO Party	0001Z, Apr 15 to 2359Z, Apr 23
ES Open HF Championship	0500Z-0559Z, Apr 15
	0600Z-0659Z, Apr 15
	0700Z-0759Z, Apr 15
	0800Z-0859Z, Apr 15
EU Spring Sprint, SSB	1600Z-1959Z, Apr 15
Michigan QSO Party	1600Z, Apr 15 to 0400Z, Apr 16
EA-QRP CW Contest	1700Z-2000Z, Apr 15 (20-10m)
	2000Z-2300Z, Apr 15 (80m)
	0700Z-1000Z, Apr 16 (40m)
	1000Z-1300Z, Apr 16 (20-10m)
Ontario QSO Party	1800Z, Apr 15 to 1800Z, Apr 16
YU DX Contest	2100Z, Apr 15 to 0500Z, Apr 16
	0900Z-1700Z, Apr 16
Run for the Bacon QRP Contest	0100Z-0300Z, Apr 17
Low Power Spring Sprint	1400Z-2000Z, Apr 17

CONTEST LOG SUBMITTAL DEADLINES FOR RECENT CONTESTS

Please consult the individual contest rules to determine what log
documentation must be submitted (i.e. summary sheet, dupe sheets, etc.).

RSGB Commonwealth Contest: April 3, 2006
E-mail: commonwealth[dot]contest[at]rsgbhfcc[dot]org
Mail: RSGB-G3UFY
77 Bensham Manor Road
Thornton Heath, Surrey CR7 7AF
England
Find rules at: http://www.contesting.co.uk/hfcc/rules/rberu.shtml

AGCW VHF/UHF Contest: April 3, 2006
E-mail: vhf-uhf[at]agcw[dot]de

Mail: Manfred Busch, DK7ZH
Ebachstr. 13
D-35716 Dietzhoelztal-Mandeln
Germany
Find rules at: http://www.agcw.de/english/contest/agcw-dl0_e.htm

10-10 Int. Mobile Contest: April 3, 2006
E-mail: tentencontest[at]alltel[dot]net
Mail: Steve Rasmussen, N0WY
312 N. 6th Street
Plattsmouth, NE 68048
USA
Find rules at: http://www.ten-ten.org/rules.html

ARRL Inter. DX Contest, SSB: April 4, 2006
E-mail: DXPhone[at]arrl[dot]org
Mail: ARRL Intl DX Contest, Phone
ARRL
225 Main St.
Newington, CT 06111
USA
Find rules at: http://www.arrl.org/contests/rules/2006/intldx.html

DARC 10-Meter Digital Contest: April 4, 2006
E-mail: df5bx[at]darc[dot]de
Mail: Werner Ludwig, DF5BX
P.O. Box 1270
49110 Georgsmarienhuette
Germany
Find rules at: http://www.darc.de/referate/ukw-funksport/sonder/tei-digi.htm

ARS Spartan Sprint: April 5, 2006
E-mail: hjohnc[at]core[dot]com
Post web summary: http://www.arsqrp.com/ars/ss_log.html
Mail: (none)
Find rules at: http://www.arsqrp.com/ars/pages/spartan_sprints/ss_rules_new.html

Open Ukraine RTTY Championship: April 6, 2006
E-mail: krs[at]model[dot]poltava[dot]ua
Mail: George Ignatov (UT1HT)
P.O. Box 87
Kremenchug-21 39621
UKRAINE
Find rules at: http://www.ucc.zp.ua/rtty2006rules_eng.htm

Pesky Texan Armadillo Chase: April 8, 2006
E-mail: n1ln[at]arrl[dot]net
Mail: Bruce Meier, N1LN
15283 Runnymede St.
Conroe, TX 77384
USA
Find rules at: http://www.w5nc.org/ptac/CONTEST_DETAILS_2006.htm

Low Power Sprint: April 8, 2006

E-mail: lpsprint[at]gmail[dot]com
Mail: (none)
Find rules at: http://www.pvrc.org/lpsprint_2006/rules.htm

High Speed Club CW Contest: April 9, 2006
E-mail: hsc-contest[at]dl3bzz[dot]de
Mail: Lutz Schroer, DL3BZZ
HSC Contest Manager
Am Niederfeld 6
35066 Frankenberg
Germany
Find rules at: http://www.qsl.net/dl0hsc/en/contests.html

UBA Spring Contest, 6m: April 9, 2006
E-mail: ubaspring[at]uba[dot]be
Mail: Lode Kenens ON6KL
Oudestraat 8
B-3560 Lummen
Belgium
Find rules at: http://www.uba.be/hf_contests/rules/uba_spring_en_2006.rtf

Idaho QSO Party: April 11, 2006
E-mail: QSOPARTY[at]IDAHOHAMRADIO[dot]NET
Mail: (none)
Find rules at: http://voiceofidaho.org/index.php?
option=com_docman&task=doc_download&gid=4&Itemid=31&mode=view

NSARA Contest: April 12, 2006
E-mail: mthomas[at]bwr[dot]eastlink[dot]ca
Mail: Martin Thomas, VE1AUZ
R.R.#1 Bridgewater
Lun.Co.,Nova Scotia
Canada
Find rules at: http://www.auracom.com/nsara/nsaracst.htm

Wisconsin QSO Party: April 12, 2006
E-mail: k9kr[at]powercom[dot]net
Mail: Wisconsin QSO Party
West Allis Radio Amateur Club
P. O. Box 1072
Milwaukee, WI 53201
USA
Find rules at: http://www.warac.org/wqp/2006/06rules.htm

EA PSK31 Contest: April 12, 2006
E-mail: psk31[at]ure[dot]es
Mail: (none)
Find rules at: http://www.ure.es/hf/concursos/eapsk31/baseseapsk31ingles.pdf

Virginia QSO Party: April 15, 2006
E-mail: nq4k[at]arrl[dot]net
Mail: VA QSO Party
Call Box 599
Sterling, VA 20167

USA
Find rules at: http://www.qsl.net/sterling/VA_QSO_Party/2006_VQP_Rules.html

UBA Spring Contest, 2m: April 16, 2006
E-mail: ubaspring[at]uba[dot]be
Mail: Lode Kenens ON6KL
Oudestraat 8
B-3560 Lummen
Belgium
Find rules at: http://www.uba.be/hf_contests/rules/uba_spring_en_2006.rtf

9K 15-Meter Contest: April 18, 2006
E-mail: 9k2rr[at]9kcc[dot]com
Mail: Faisal N. Al-Ajmi, 9K2RR
P.O.Box 1124
Alfarwanya 80000
Kuwait
Find rules at: http://www.qsl.net/9kcc/9KCCRule.htm

RSGB RoPoCo 1: April 18, 2006
E-mail: ropoco1[dot]logs[at]rsgbhfcc[dot]org
Mail: RSGB G3UFY
77 Bensham Manor Road, Thornton Heath
Surrey CR7 7AF
England
Find rules at: http://www.contesting.co.uk/hfcc/rules/rropoco.shtml

CLARA and Family HF Contest: April 23, 2006
E-mail: ve7vpe[at]rac[dot]ca
Mail: Paulette Schouten, VE7VPE
c/o VECTOR
3301 East Pender Street
Vancouver, BC V5K 5J3
Canada
Find rules at: http://www.clara.comm.sfu.ca/contest.html

Spring QRP Homebrewer Sprint: April 25, 2006
E-mail: n2cq[at]arrl[dot]net
Mail: Ken Newman, N2CQ
81 Holly Drive
Woodbury, NJ 08096
USA
Find rules at: http://www.njqrp.org/data/qrphomebrewersprint.html

CZEBRIS Contest: April 30, 2006
E-mail: UK Logs: g3xjs[at]gqrp[dot]com
Other Logs: karel[dot]line[at]seznam[dot]cz
Mail: UK Logs:
G3XJS,Peter Barville
40 Watchet Lane, Holmer Green
High Wycombe, Buckinghamshire HP15 6UG
United Kingdom

Other Logs:

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        OK1AIJ, Karel Behounek
        Na sancich 1181
        537 05  Chrudim  IV
        Czech  Republic
  Find rules at: http://www.hornucopia.com/contestcal/czebris2005.txt

Oklahoma QSO Party:   April 30, 2006
  E-mail:  logs[at]okdxa[dot]org
  Mail:  Oklahoma QSO Party
         OK DX Association
         P.O. Box 2591
         Claremore, OK 74018-2591
         USA
  Find rules at: http://okdxa.org/web/html/okqprulz.htm

SP DX Contest:   April 30, 2006
  E-mail:  spdxc-logs[at]pzk[dot]org[dot]pl
  Mail:  Polski Zwiazek Krotkofalowcow
         SPDX Contest Committee
         P. O. Box 320
         00-950 WARSZAWA
         POLAND
  Find rules at: http://www.contest.spdxc.org.pl/reg/reg_g.html

CQ WW WPX Contest, SSB:   May 1, 2006
  E-mail:  ssb[at]cqwpx[dot]com
  Mail:  SSB WPX Contest
         CQ Magazine
         25 Newbridge Rd, Suite 405
         Hicksville NY 11801
         USA
  Find rules at: http://www.cq-amateur-radio.com/WPX%20Contest%20Rules0612705.pdf

BARTG Spring RTTY Contest:   May 1, 2006
  E-mail:  ska[at]bartg[dot]demon[dot]co[dot]uk
  Mail:  (none)
  Find rules at: http://www.bartg.demon.co.uk/Contests/06_rules.htm

Kids Roundup:   May 1, 2006
  E-mail:  ki3ds[at]ki3ds[dot]org
  Mail:  AARC, Jr
         7901 Pepperbox Lane
         Pasadena, MD 21122-6328
         USA
  Find rules at: http://ki3ds.org/2006-KR-Rules.htm

QCWA Spring QSO Party:   May 2, 2006
  E-mail:  w2od[at]aol[dot]com
  Mail:  W2OD, Robert Buus
         8 Donner Street
         HOLMDEL N.J. 07733-2004
         USA
  Find rules at: http://www.qcwa.org/2006-qso-party-rules.htm
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Missouri QSO Party: May 2, 2006
  E-mail: n0aj[at]arrl[dot]net
  Mail: N0AJ, James L Kinser
         2147 Encino Drive
         Florissant, MO 63031-7627
         USA
  Find rules at: http://www.qsl.net/w0ma/mo_qso_party/mo_qso_party_rules.pdf

Russian DX Contest: May 7, 2006
  E-mail: RusDXC[at]contesting[dot]com
  Mail: Russian DX Contest
         P.O. Box 88
         119311 Moscow
         Russia
  Find rules at: http://www.rdxc.org/asp/pages/rulesg.asp

EA RTTY Contest: May 12, 2006
  E-mail: rttycontest[at]ure[dot]es
  Mail: EA RTTY CONTEST
         P.O.Box 220
         28080 MADRID
         Spain
  Find rules at: http://www.ure.es/hf/concursos/eartty/basesearttyingles.pdf
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